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I have the honour to enclose herewith a statement issued by His Majesty's Government of Nepal on the cessation of armed hostilities in the Persian Gulf region.

I have the further honour to request that the statement be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Jai Pratap RANA
Ambassador
Permanent Representative

Annex

Statement of His Majesty's Government of Nepal on the end of the Gulf war

With the cessation of armed hostilities and the acceptance by Iraq of the resolutions of the Security Council, the war in the Persian Gulf has come to an end, which His Majesty's Government of Nepal heartily welcomes. We particularly welcome the withdrawal of Iraqi forces from Kuwait and the restoration of that small non-aligned country's independence and sovereignty. His Majesty's Government of Nepal supported the efforts of the United Nations and its Secretary-General as well as other nations whose moral and material contributions helped achieve these noble goals.

Now that the war has ended, His Majesty's Government of Nepal looks forward to the peaceful works of reconstruction in the Gulf and the political settlement of the entangled problems of the Middle East, including the Palestinian problem.